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Deputy Associate Commissioner, Office of Public Service and Operations Support Social Security Administration

Jeremiah is the Deputy Associate Commissioner for the Office of Public Service and Operations Support at the Social Security Administration. He is an Executive Lead for the implementation of the Strengthening Protections for Social Security Beneficiaries Act of 2018. He is responsible for developing and maintaining business process related to programmatic policy for operational employees nationwide. His previous government experience includes serving as the Acting Deputy Regional Commissioner in the San Francisco Region and the Acting Assistant Regional Commissioner for Processing Center Operations in the New York Region. He also served as the Director for Buildings Management, where he provided facility, project, and energy management oversight for the agency's headquarters facility operation. His background includes a wide-range of experience as a policy expert and providing program management oversight.

In addition to his civilian position, Jeremiah volunteers on the Town of Sykesville, Maryland Planning Commission. In this role, he advises the Town Council regarding various infrastructure projects within the community.

Beatrice Disman



Acting Chief of Staff Social Security Administration

Beatrice Disman is the Acting Chief of Staff for SSA. Most recently, Bea served as an advisor to the agency's Commissioner on significant management challenges, including the disability program and anti-fraud initiatives. From 1995 to 2014, Bea was the Regional Commissioner for the agency's New York Region. As Regional Commissioner, Bea had direct authority over SSA's operations in New York, New Jersey, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands — including 3,900 employees in 123 locations, serving more than 7 million beneficiaries who received more than \$88 billion in Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits annually. She also planned and implemented the agency's responsibilities in the Medicare Prescription Drug Act of 2003, the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act of 2008, and the Affordable Care Act of 2010.

Chairman Emeritus of the New York Federal Executive Board, Bea served as its Chair from 1997 to 2003, leading a collaborative effort among 150 Federal agencies throughout the City of New York, most notably during the aftermath of September 11. She is a member of the National Academy of Social Insurance and a tireless advocate for many social issues through her leadership roles on her local community board.

Bea holds a B.A. in History and Political Science from Brooklyn College, an M.A. in American Diplomatic History from Ohio State University Graduate School, and an M.B.A. from New York University's Graduate School of Business. She also completed the Harvard University Senior Executive Fellows Program and is an alumna of the Federal Executive Institute in Charlottesville, VA.